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SUBJ: EC BUTTER SALES TO THE USSR

REF: EC BRUSSELS 01953

1. CONTRARY TO MOST ITALIAN PRESS REACTION TO SUBJECT SALES,
(MOSTLY REFLECTING CONSUMER VIEWPOINT) THE ITALIAN
LIVESTOCK BREEDERS ASSOCIATION (AIA) HAS COME OUT IN PUBLIC SUPPORT
OF EC ACTION. THEIR POSITION IS THAT THE SUBSIDY WAS NECESSARY IN
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VIEW OF THE LARGE EC SURPLUS OF DAIRY PRODUCTS, LIMITED OPPORTUNITIES OF INCREASING DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION, AND FAILURE TO IMPOSE A TAX ON COMPETITIVE PRODUCTS SUCH AS OILSEEDS.

2. COMMENT: THE AIA POSITION UNDOUBTEDLY IS INFLUENCED BY THE FACT THAT ITALIAN PRODUCERS OF PARMESAN CHEESE WILL FACE A SURPLUS SITUATION IN THE NEAR FUTURE AND WILL NEED THE ASSIS-

TANCE OF EC SUBSIDIES. THE IMPENDING SURPLUS OF PARMESAN TYPE CHEESES
IS DUE TO HORTAGE AND VERY HIGH PRICES DURING THE PAST YEAR
WHICH STIMULATED PRODUCTION WHICH IS NOW AGING FOR MARKET.
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